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In re patent application of

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING CRYSTAL GROWTH SUBSTRATE AND  
SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT-EMITTING ELEMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper, to correct the identity of Figures 2(A)-2(C) and 3(A)-3(B). No new matter has been added.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.